ditional copies for each member of the general assembly of the report of the commissioner of agriculture.

Read three times in the general assembly and ratified the 24th day of January, A. D. 1879.

A RESOLUTION IN RELATION TO JUSTICES OF THE PEACE.

Joint committee on nominations of justices of the peace.

Section 1. Resolved by the Senate, the House concurring: That a committee of thirteen, five on the part of the Senate and eight on the part of the House, be appointed by the presiding officers of the two houses to be known as the committee on nominations of the justices of the peace for the various townships of the several counties of the state.

All nominations referred to committee. Sec. 2. That all nominations of justices of the peace shall be referred to said committee without debate.

Committee to report list.

SEC. 3. That said committee shall report a separate list to the Senate and House, on Tuesday, the eighteenth day of February, out of the nominations thus made to them a list of justices of the peace to fill the vacancies in the various townships of the several counties of the state, caused by the expiration of the terms of office of justices appointed two years ago.

Time appointed for election.

SEC. 4. That at twelve m. on said Tuesday the legislature shall proceed to elect said justices, and shall so continue until the election [is] complete.

Read three times in the general assembly and ratified the 29th day of January, A. D. 1879.